Hallo dear MMMonVHF friends,

please find below our lastet NEWSLETTER of the VHF-DX-Portal
"Make More Miles on VHF" (www.MMMonVHF.de), dated 2011-01-01
We attempt to distribute our Newsletter one or two times per week.
For further detail please be so kind and refer at our "News"-page
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php - welcome and enjoy ...

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Latest NEWS and INFO for the NEWSLETTER
MMMonVHF The VHF-DX-Portal
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!!! HAPPY NEW YEAR 2011 TO YOU AND YOUR FAMILIES !!!

** MMMonVHF Trophy: "Best VHF DX Expedition" of the Year 2010 **

As in the past years, as well the VHF DX Portal MMMonVHF start
to find the "Best VHF DX Expedition of the Year 2010".
The best expedition on 144 MHZ in the sector MS and/or EME will
be voted in the first 3 weeks of january 2011 as past years: Voting
is open from 01.01.2011 00:00UTC till 20.01.2011 23:59UTC
Link to the: http: Voting Page: http://www.mmmonvhf.de/dxvote.php
If you interesting to see the results of past year:
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/trophy2009.php
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/trophy2008.php
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/trophy2007.php
SOURCE: Jani, HA5CRX on behalf of the MMMonVHF Team

** OPEN VHF-MS CONTEST **

Contest is held during Quadrantids meteor shower. Start: 02 Jan.
2011, 16:00 UTC - End: 05 January 2011, 05:59 UTC - During Russian
Winter MS Contest! Band: 144 MHz - Modes: FSK441, HSCW, SSB.
For CQ in FSK441: 144.370 and 144.350 MHz
For CQ in HSCW: 144.100 (144.095 - 144.105) MHz
For CQ in SSB: 144.200 MHz - It is allowed to use DX-Cluster or
other open chats for skeds. ON4KST CHAT Recomended.
REMARKS WELLCOME CONTESTERS AND SPONSORS
All Infos at their Homepage: http://www.opencontest.org
SOURCE: UT5UUV direct to MMMonVHF

** 50 RASE DX SPRINT **

Hi all, new sprint tournament on 50 Mhz:
http://www.rasedx.com/content/view/248/12/
Stay tuned - 73s and HNY
SOURCE: tnx to EB7COL direct to MMMonVHF

** Reactivating the EME VHF Net on 14.345 MHz **

EME net saturday and sunday at 1600 Z on 14.345. Everyone welcome
CW/SSB & Digital.. SOURCE: 73 Stece N4PZ direct to MMMonVHF

** JO34 in 2011 **

Dear friends - we are planing to be qrv again in several contests
from Helgoland, JO34WE, as well in the year 2011 - from our side now
following request: Is JO34 as well (on TROPO) on 23cm-band wanted ?
Please be so kind and send your interest to dg7tg"at"web.de
SOURCE: Thorsten DG7TG DR3M direct to MMMonVHF

** INFOS from ICELAND **

Jonas Bjarnason (TF2JB), President of the Icelandic Radio Amateurs
(IRA), reports that the Icelandic Post and Telecom administration
has extended access to the 500 kHz (493-510 kHz), 70 MHz (70.000-
70.200 MHz) and 5 MHz bands by two years, until 31 December 2012.
As for 60 metres, TF operators have been granted 150 kHz (5360-
5410 kHz) instead of the previous eight fixed channels, but the
maximun power allowed has been reduced from 200 to 100 watts.
SOURCE: 425 DX News #1025

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      HOT 144 MHz MS & EME DX-PEDITION NEWS - Pse do use:
               http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php
         and use the FILTER for your personal wishes!
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** DXCC: FG ; Square: FK96 ; Start: 2010-12-29 **
USE or SUBSCRIBE: http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php?id=3447

Guadeloupe Island (French Antillas, FK96HF) qrv on 144 MHz EME
since 29.12.2010! LATEST NEWS, from Phil, dated 2010-12-28:
Just finished to assembly and test, it is 17 h local time and I
take the red color !!here around 30ï¿½ and 76% of humidity I will
be qrv on 29 at 05H15 UTC, my moonrise for the 1st try , QRG will
be on 144,143 because birdies on 144 , the freq can change if
necessary . FG4KH always 1st I cannot have full elevation, but
it will change in the next days Hope all will be ok, I cross the
fingers! LATEST NEWS, from Phil, dated 2010-12-29: All has worked
nice, not to much noise, but today no full elevation so the trafic
stopped at 10 UTC, sorry for NA window. First day with 42 stations
in log , tomorrow I will be QRV again since my moon rise with full
elevation. For log on line updated, follow link below - 73 all
LOG is at: fgdxpeditionf1duz.monsite-orange.fr/logonline/index.html

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** DXCC: VK9N ; Square: RG30 ; Start: 2011-01-07 **
USE or SUBSCRIBE: http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php?id=3555

Norfolk Island (RG30XX) DX Expedition, 2011
VK9NA will have 2m EME capability via WSJT (or CW for a few).
One long yagi (12m) and about 300w. More details on vk9na.com in
the blog page. Operating schedule not published yet, still under
discussion. Operators arrive on Norfolk Island on 7th January,
station assembly on the 8th. Operation ceases on 20th January.
Planning to operate on 50, 144, 432, 1296, 2403, 5760, 10368. Yagis
up to 432, 1.2m dish for higher bands. 75w on 10 GHz from TWT.
SOURCE: 73 Andrew VK1DA to the MoonNet

** DXCC: C5 ; Square: IK13 ; Start: 2011-02-11 **
USE or SUBSCRIBE: http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php?id=3654

MOONBOUNCE from THE GAMBIA (C56 / IK13QL)
After the very successfull DXpedition to Mauritius last year (3B8EME
with 340 QSO's on 144 MHz and 7 inits om 432 MHz) Rene PE1L will try
again to make moonbounce QSO's from the Gambia on 144 MHz and 432 MHz
This time Eltje PA3CEE and Johan PE9DX will join the party again.
Don't change a winning team! We will be QRV moonbounce 2 meter as
C56EME, a special moonbounce permit is requested. If all ok we will
have a small 70cm setup with us. From February 11th until February
21st 2011, C56EME will be active from the Gambia on 144 MHz moon-
bounce. The locator will be IK13ql... read all and more in detail:
Welcome to The Gambia moonbounce site! www.emelogger.com/gambia
and here at MMMonVHF: http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php?id=3654
SOURCE: tnx to Rene, PE1L direct to MMMonVHF

** DXCC: KH0 / KH2 **

Bodo , DL3OCH, was qrv from DU (PJ18) for some QSOs on 23cm.
He have to quit now and as well he told that KH2/KH0 operation
is canceled as well defenatly now...
SOURCE: tnx to Bodo, DL3OCH direct to MMMonVHF

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    Latest V/U/SHF DX-PEDITION NEWS and EVENTS - Pse do use:
                http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php
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** PY1KK qrv from GG76qs on 6m / 70cm **

Hello all, All ready here at the coast qth on both 70cm and 6m.
70cm setup is a 4m dish, xpol patch-feeder, LNAs at feeder, R&S
at 800W, and IC-910H. 6m setup is single 1 wl horizontally polarized
yagi, no elevation, IC-PW1 and IC-746PRO. Some echoes have been
seen, but no EME qso yet. Will be qrv on both bands during the
whole January. I thank you for the nice lunar activity during the
ending year, and wish you all a very nice New Year of 2011.
Vy 73 de Bruce, PY1KK / PY2BS via W7GJ s [Magic Band EME]

** TA2AD on 6m EME **

Hello! This morning, TA2AD became the first TA station to complete
a contact on 6m EME during his moonset. It was also a DXCC #163 for
me (#111 via 6m EME). The Kp was 2.0 and Degradation was -1.6 dB.
My understanding is that Sua was using 200w and some sort of yagi
relatively close to the ground. His JT65A signal only -28 dB here.
SOURCE: Lance, W7GJ via [Magic Band EME]

** JD1 qrv HF and Satellites **

Makoto, JI5RPT (JD1BLY) and Harry, JG7PSJ (JD1BMH) will once again
be active from Chichijima Island (IOTA AS-031, WLOTA 2269, WFF
JAFF-090, JCG #10007) between 24 December 2010 and 8 January 2011.
QRV on all bands 160-10m, with focus on the lower bands, using CW,
SSB, Digital and the satellites. JD1BLY will be active between
24 December 2010 and 3 January 2011, while JD1BMH will be active
between 30 December and 8 January 2011. QSL via the bureau to the
JD1 callsigns or direct to their home callsigns...
SOURCE: ICPO Bulletin (24-31 Decenber 2010)

** The DEM. REPUBLIC OF CONGO is qrv again until Jan.11th, 2011 **

Barney, ZS6TQ (es-ZS4U), is now active as 9Q0HQ/6 until Jan. 11th,
2011. Activity will be mainly on the weekends and some days during
the week after 1800z. Operations will be on 40/20/15/10/6 meters
using CW, SSB and PSK31. QSL via K3IRV...
SOURCE: Ohio/Penn DX Bulletin #991

** 3D2, FIJI, activity in march april **

Operators Eddie/VK4AN, Kenneth/OZ1IKY and possibly others are
planning a big operation as 3D2A to the Fijis between March 15th
and April 2nd in 2011. They are currently looking for experienced
DXers to join them during this operation. They state that their
activities will be from Nadi in a "3-story 2-br luxury a/c apartment
with roof top antennas including a full-size 160m Inverted Vee or
delta-loop, Spiderbeam, DX-88 and other antennas!" Activity will be
on all bands (160-6m) and modes but with a concentrating on the
lower bands. Operations will include participation in the BARTG RTTY
 and CQ WPX SSB DX Contests. If you would like to join their team,
contact Eddie, VK4AN, at: vk4an@wia.org.au Also, via SKYPE at
< ewdeyoung >. More details are available at their "Pacific DXers"
Wweb page at: http://pacific-dxers.com ADDED NOTE: Eddie,
VK4AN, is also planning activity from Naura (C2) in mid-to-late 2011
and is looking for experienced DXers to join them for a 2 week

operation. SOURCE: Ohio/Penn DX Bulletin #991

** DEADLINE for your NEWS input to MMMonVHF**

... for your News (pse use: http://www.mmmonvhf.de/newsuser.php)
to the next MMMonVHF Newsletter will be next thursday 2359 UTC ...

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The VHF-DX-Portal MMMonVHF - Newsletter Credits & Info
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Our Newsletter is compiled from the input of the USER of the
VHF-DX-Portal MMMonVHF and as well by a lot of free usable
HF-V-U-SHF-Info-Sources (named as SOURCE at the NEWS) and chats
like ON4KST-, RU-VHF-DX-Net, EA-V-U-SHF-Chat, N0UK-Chat and others.

** Many thanks to all our USER who did send us info and news **

Wherever we found the info we always indicate the source of the
info. If you get knowledge of an expedition, which is NOT listed
at our VHF-DX-Portal MMMonVHF or if you have additional info for
an expedition, PLEASE be so kind and send us this info at:

** www.mmmonvhf.de/newsuser.php or www.mmmonvhf.de/kontact.php **

The MMMonVHF-Team is always trying to spread any expedition info
as much up-to-date and reliable as possible and as long as the
info does not violate with our MMMonVHF-Policy ...

Have a lot of fun and enjoy the VHF-DX-Portal MMMonVHF!

73 de Guido "Guy" DL8EBW
on behalf of the MMMonVHF-Team

DG2KBC DK3XT DK5EW DK5YA DL8EBW HA5CRX
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